

REMARKS

This application is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/795,795, filed February 28, 2001, which is a continuation of U.S. Appln. Serial No. 08/817,328.

This Preliminary Amendment is filed together with a continuation application of application Serial No. 09/795,795, and supporting documents and fee therefor.

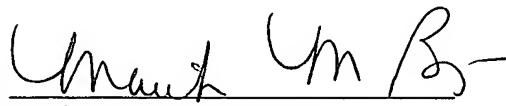
The instant invention is directed to the use of certain polymers as electroluminescent materials. The novel electroluminescent materials, when used in an illumination or display device, significantly improve the properties of these devices. The polymers of the instant invention are distinguished by high stability, coupled with a high fluorescence quantum yield.

The instant Preliminary Amendment places this application into better condition for purposes of examination and allowance, and entry thereof is respectfully requested.

It is believed that no fee is required for the instant submission. However, if any fee is required, or if any overpayment has been made, please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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APPENDIX—MARKED-UP VERSION TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 1, line 1, the following has been added:

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1-10 have been cancelled and new claims 11-30 added, as above.